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E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: U.S. FORCE REDUCTIONS IN THAILAND

REF: CINCSAC 161620Z DEC 75 (NOTAL)

1. REFTEL PROPOSES CONTINGENCY GUIDANCE FOR RESPONSE TO PRESS

QUERIES CONCERNING REDEPLOYMENT OF SAC KC-135 TANKERS FROM THAILAND.

FINAL SENTENCE OF GUIDANCE READS, "KC-135 AIRCRAFT WILL CONTINUE

TO USE UTAPAO ON A TRANSIENT BASIS".

2. WE BELIEVE THIS FINAL SENTENCE SHOULD BE DELETED FROM THE
GUIDANCE. IT PREMATURELY DISCLOSES AN ASPECT OF OUR RESIDUAL
PLANNING THAT HAS NOT YET BEEN SPECIFICALLY DISCUSSED WITH THE RTG.

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WE DO NOT ANTICIPATE DIFFICULTY ABOUT THE FUTURE USE OF
UTAPAO BY OCCASIONAL TRANSIENT KC-135'S, BUT HOW THIS SHOULD
BE MADE PUBLIC IS A MATTER OF CONSIDERABLE IMPORTANCE AND
WILL REQUIRE COORDINATION WITH THE RTG WITHIN THE CONTEXT OF
THE TOTAL UTAPAO RESIDUAL PACKAGE.

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